PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2008 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)	Docket Number (Optional) 80315(302753)	
Application Number	10/588,311-Conf. #6871	Filed	August 3, 2006

For	NEEDLE-LIKE MEMBER, CONDUCTIVE CONTACT, AND CONDUCTIVE CONTACT UNIT

Art Unit	2833	Examiner	A. Gilman

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

		Fee	Small Entity Fee	
X	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	$120	$60	$ 120.00
☐	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	$460	$230	$
☐	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	$1050	$525	$
☐	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	$1640	$820	$
☐	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	$2230	$1115	$

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

X The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

X The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number _____ 04-1105 _____ . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

I am the

☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
     Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

X attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____ 34,129 _____

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.
     Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 _____

Signature	Date
~~William L. Brooks~~ (signature)	August 7, 2008
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Typed or printed name	Telephone Number

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

X Total of _____ 1 _____ forms are submitted.

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